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This is in response to the June 5, 2006 Office Action, setting a three month term for reply.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2), applicants hereby request an extension of time of two (3) months in responding to the Office Action of June 5, 2006.

Granting of Applicants' request would serve to extend Applicants' due date from September 5, 2006 to November 5, 2006.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of <u>\$450</u> to satisfy the fee for a two (2) month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required for this paper, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-0320.